

JS 44 (Rev. 10/20)

CIVIL COVER SHEET

The JS 44 civil cover sheet and the information contained herein neither replace nor supplement the filing and service of pleadings or other papers as required by law, except as provided by local rules of court. This form, approved by the Judicial Conference of the United States in September 1974, is required for the use of the Clerk of Court for the purpose of initiating the civil docket sheet. (SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON NEXT PAGE OF THIS FORM.)

I. (a) PLAINTIFFS

Kerry Hudson

(b) County of Residence of First Listed Plaintiff _____
(EXCEPT IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES)

(c) Attorneys (Firm Name, Address, and Telephone Number)

David Wesley Cornish, Esquire, 230 S. Broad St., 17th Fl.
Phila., PA 19102, (212) 444-2039


DEFENDANTS

VisionQuest National, LTD.

County of Residence of First Listed Defendant Pima County
(IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES ONLY)

NOTE: IN LAND CONDEMNATION CASES, USE THE LOCATION OF
THE TRACT OF LAND INVOLVED.

Attorneys (If Known)

Deasey, Mahoney & Valentini, LTD., 1601 Market Street,
Suite 3400, Phila., PA 19103, (215) 587-9400, Gerald J. 
Valentini Esquire and Chrystale B. Hewitt Esquire

II. BASIS OF JURISDICTION (Place an "X" in One Box Only)

- ☐ 1 U.S. Government Plaintiff ☐ 3 Federal Question (U.S. Government Not a Party)
- ☐ 2 U.S. Government Defendant ☒ 4 Diversity (Indicate Citizenship of Parties in Item III)

III. CITIZENSHIP OF PRINCIPAL PARTIES (Place an "X" in One Box for Plaintiff and One Box for Defendant)

- | | PTF | DEF | | PTF | DEF |
|---|---------------------------------------|----------------------------|---|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Citizen of This State | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | Incorporated or Principal Place of Business In This State | <input type="checkbox"/> 4 | <input type="checkbox"/> 4 |
| Citizen of Another State | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 | Incorporated and Principal Place of Business In Another State | <input type="checkbox"/> 5 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 5 |
| Citizen or Subject of a Foreign Country | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 | Foreign Nation | <input type="checkbox"/> 6 | <input type="checkbox"/> 6 |

IV. NATURE OF SUIT (Place an "X" in One Box Only)Click here for: [Nature of Suit Code Descriptions.](#)

CONTRACT	TORTS	FORFEITURE/PENALTY	BANKRUPTCY	OTHER STATUTES	
<input type="checkbox"/> 110 Insurance <input type="checkbox"/> 120 Marine <input type="checkbox"/> 130 Miller Act <input type="checkbox"/> 140 Negotiable Instrument <input type="checkbox"/> 150 Recovery of Overpayment & Enforcement of Judgment <input type="checkbox"/> 151 Medicare Act <input type="checkbox"/> 152 Recovery of Defaulted Student Loans (Excludes Veterans) <input type="checkbox"/> 153 Recovery of Overpayment of Veteran's Benefits <input type="checkbox"/> 160 Stockholders' Suits <input type="checkbox"/> 190 Other Contract <input type="checkbox"/> 195 Contract Product Liability <input type="checkbox"/> 196 Franchise	PERSONAL INJURY <input type="checkbox"/> 310 Airplane <input type="checkbox"/> 315 Airplane Product Liability <input type="checkbox"/> 320 Assault, Libel & Slander <input type="checkbox"/> 330 Federal Employers' Liability <input type="checkbox"/> 340 Marine <input type="checkbox"/> 345 Marine Product Liability <input type="checkbox"/> 350 Motor Vehicle <input type="checkbox"/> 355 Motor Vehicle Product Liability <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 360 Other Personal Injury <input type="checkbox"/> 362 Personal Injury - Medical Malpractice	PERSONAL INJURY <input type="checkbox"/> 365 Personal Injury - Product Liability <input type="checkbox"/> 367 Health Care/Pharmaceutical Personal Injury Product Liability <input type="checkbox"/> 368 Asbestos Personal Injury Product Liability PERSONAL PROPERTY <input type="checkbox"/> 370 Other Fraud <input type="checkbox"/> 371 Truth in Lending <input type="checkbox"/> 380 Other Personal Property Damage <input type="checkbox"/> 385 Property Damage Product Liability	<input type="checkbox"/> 625 Drug Related Seizure of Property 21 USC 881 <input type="checkbox"/> 690 Other LABOR <input type="checkbox"/> 710 Fair Labor Standards Act <input type="checkbox"/> 720 Labor/Management Relations <input type="checkbox"/> 740 Railway Labor Act <input type="checkbox"/> 751 Family and Medical Leave Act <input type="checkbox"/> 790 Other Labor Litigation <input type="checkbox"/> 791 Employee Retirement Income Security Act IMMIGRATION <input type="checkbox"/> 462 Naturalization Application <input type="checkbox"/> 465 Other Immigration Actions	<input type="checkbox"/> 422 Appeal 28 USC 158 <input type="checkbox"/> 423 Withdrawal 28 USC 157 PROPERTY RIGHTS <input type="checkbox"/> 820 Copyrights <input type="checkbox"/> 830 Patent <input type="checkbox"/> 835 Patent - Abbreviated New Drug Application <input type="checkbox"/> 840 Trademark <input type="checkbox"/> 880 Defend Trade Secrets Act of 2016 SOCIAL SECURITY <input type="checkbox"/> 861 HIA (1395ff) <input type="checkbox"/> 862 Black Lung (923) <input type="checkbox"/> 863 DIWC/DIWW (405(g)) <input type="checkbox"/> 864 SSID Title XVI <input type="checkbox"/> 865 RSI (405(g)) FEDERAL TAX SUITS <input type="checkbox"/> 870 Taxes (U.S. Plaintiff or Defendant) <input type="checkbox"/> 871 IRS—Third Party 26 USC 7609	<input type="checkbox"/> 375 False Claims Act <input type="checkbox"/> 376 Qui Tam (31 USC 3729(a)) <input type="checkbox"/> 400 State Reapportionment <input type="checkbox"/> 410 Antitrust <input type="checkbox"/> 430 Banks and Banking <input type="checkbox"/> 450 Commerce <input type="checkbox"/> 460 Deportation <input type="checkbox"/> 470 Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations <input type="checkbox"/> 480 Consumer Credit (15 USC 1681 or 1692) <input type="checkbox"/> 485 Telephone Consumer Protection Act <input type="checkbox"/> 490 Cable/Sat TV <input type="checkbox"/> 850 Securities/Commodities/Exchange <input type="checkbox"/> 890 Other Statutory Actions <input type="checkbox"/> 891 Agricultural Acts <input type="checkbox"/> 893 Environmental Matters <input type="checkbox"/> 895 Freedom of Information Act <input type="checkbox"/> 896 Arbitration <input type="checkbox"/> 899 Administrative Procedure Act/Review or Appeal of Agency Decision <input type="checkbox"/> 950 Constitutionality of State Statutes
REAL PROPERTY <input type="checkbox"/> 210 Land Condemnation <input type="checkbox"/> 220 Foreclosure <input type="checkbox"/> 230 Rent Lease & Ejectment <input type="checkbox"/> 240 Torts to Land <input type="checkbox"/> 245 Tort Product Liability <input type="checkbox"/> 290 All Other Real Property	CIVIL RIGHTS <input type="checkbox"/> 440 Other Civil Rights <input type="checkbox"/> 441 Voting <input type="checkbox"/> 442 Employment <input type="checkbox"/> 443 Housing/Accommodations <input type="checkbox"/> 445 Amer. w/Disabilities - Employment <input type="checkbox"/> 446 Amer. w/Disabilities - Other <input type="checkbox"/> 448 Education	PRISONER PETITIONS Habeas Corpus: <input type="checkbox"/> 463 Alien Detainee <input type="checkbox"/> 510 Motions to Vacate Sentence <input type="checkbox"/> 530 General <input type="checkbox"/> 535 Death Penalty Other: <input type="checkbox"/> 540 Mandamus & Other <input type="checkbox"/> 550 Civil Rights <input type="checkbox"/> 555 Prison Condition <input type="checkbox"/> 560 Civil Detainee - Conditions of Confinement			

V. ORIGIN (Place an "X" in One Box Only)

- ☐ 1 Original Proceeding ☒ 2 Removed from State Court ☐ 3 Remanded from Appellate Court ☐ 4 Reinstated or Reopened ☐ 5 Transferred from Another District (specify) ☐ 6 Multidistrict Litigation - Transfer ☐ 8 Multidistrict Litigation - Direct File

VI. CAUSE OF ACTION

Cite the U.S. Civil Statute under which you are filing (Do not cite jurisdictional statutes unless diversity):
28 U.S.C. Section 1441

Brief description of cause:

VII. REQUESTED IN COMPLAINT:

☐ CHECK IF THIS IS A CLASS ACTION UNDER RULE 23, F.R.Cv.P.

DEMAND \$

CHECK YES only if demanded in complaint:

JURY DEMAND: ☒ Yes ☐ No**VIII. RELATED CASE(S) IF ANY**

(See instructions):

JUDGE Judge McHugh

DOCKET NUMBER 2:21-CV-04801

DATE

October 5, 2022

SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OF RECORD

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

RECEIPT # _____ AMOUNT _____ APPLYING IFP _____ JUDGE _____ MAG. JUDGE _____

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

DESIGNATION FORM

(to be used by counsel or pro se plaintiff to indicate the category of the case for the purpose of assignment to the appropriate calendar)

Address of Plaintiff: _____

Address of Defendant: 4400 East Broadway Boulevard, Suite 501, Tucson, AZ 85711

Place of Accident, Incident or Transaction: _____

RELATED CASE, IF ANY:

Case Number: 2:21-cv-04801 Judge: Gerald A. McHugh Date Terminated: _____

Civil cases are deemed related when **Yes** is answered to any of the following questions:

- | | | |
|--|---|--|
| 1. Is this case related to property included in an earlier numbered suit pending or within one year previously terminated action in this court? | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. Does this case involve the same issue of fact or grow out of the same transaction as a prior suit pending or within one year previously terminated action in this court? | Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. Does this case involve the validity or infringement of a patent already in suit or any earlier numbered case pending or within one year previously terminated action of this court? | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. Is this case a second or successive habeas corpus, social security appeal, or pro se civil rights case filed by the same individual? | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

I certify that, to my knowledge, the within case ☐ is / ☐ is not related to any case now pending or within one year previously terminated action in this court except as noted above.

DATE: 10/05/2022  58261
 Attorney-at-Law / Pro Se Plaintiff Attorney I.D. # (if applicable)

CIVIL: (Place a ✓ in one category only)

A. Federal Question Cases:

- ☐ 1. Indemnity Contract, Marine Contract, and All Other Contracts
☐ 2. FELA
☐ 3. Jones Act-Personal Injury
☐ 4. Antitrust
☐ 5. Patent
☐ 6. Labor-Management Relations
☐ 7. Civil Rights
☐ 8. Habeas Corpus
☐ 9. Securities Act(s) Cases
☐ 10. Social Security Review Cases
☐ 11. All other Federal Question Cases
 (Please specify): _____

B. Diversity Jurisdiction Cases:

- ☐ 1. Insurance Contract and Other Contracts
☐ 2. Airplane Personal Injury
☐ 3. Assault, Defamation
☐ 4. Marine Personal Injury
☐ 5. Motor Vehicle Personal Injury
☒ 6. Other Personal Injury (Please specify): _____
☐ 7. Products Liability
☐ 8. Products Liability – Asbestos
☐ 9. All other Diversity Cases
 (Please specify): _____


ARBITRATION CERTIFICATION

(The effect of this certification is to remove the case from eligibility for arbitration.)

I, Gerald J. Valentini, Esq., counsel of record or pro se plaintiff, do hereby certify:

☒ Pursuant to Local Civil Rule 53.2, § 3(c) (2), that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the damages recoverable in this civil action case exceed the sum of \$150,000.00 exclusive of interest and costs:

☐ Relief other than monetary damages is sought.

DATE: 10/05/2022  58261
 Attorney-at-Law / Pro Se Plaintiff Attorney I.D. # (if applicable)

NOTE: A trial de novo will be a trial by jury only if there has been compliance with F.R.C.P. 38.

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

CASE MANAGEMENT TRACK DESIGNATION FORM

Kerry Hudson

v.

VisionQuest National, Ltd. et al.

CIVIL ACTION NO.

In accordance with the Civil Justice Expense and Delay Reduction Plan of this court, counsel for plaintiff shall complete a case Management Track Designation Form in all civil cases at the time of filing the complaint and serve a copy on all defendants. (See § 1:03 of the plan set forth on the reverse side of this form.) In the event that a defendant does not agree with the plaintiff regarding said designation, that defendant shall, with its first appearance, submit to the clerk of court and serve on the plaintiff and all other parties, a case management track designation form specifying the track to which that defendant believes the case should be assigned.

SELECT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING CASE MANAGEMENT TRACKS:

- (a) Habeas Corpus – Cases brought under 28 U.S.C. §2241 through §2255. ()
- (b) Social Security – Cases requesting review of a decision of the Secretary of Health and Human Services denying plaintiff Social Security Benefits ()
- (c) Arbitration – Cases required to be designated for arbitration under Local Civil Rule 53.2. ()
- (d) Asbestos – Cases involving claims for personal injury or property damage from exposure to asbestos. ()
- (e) Special Management – Cases that do not fall into tracks (a) through (d) that are commonly referred to as complex and that need special or intense management by the court. (See reverse side of this form for a detailed explanation of special management cases.) ()
- (f) Standard Management – Cases that do not fall into any one of the other tracks. (x)

10/5/2022
Date


Attorney-at-Law

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E-Mail Address

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

KERRY HUDSON

v.

VISIONQUEST NATIONAL, LTD.

CIVIL ACTION

NO.

***NOTICE OF REMOVAL OF DEFENDANT
VISIONQUEST NATIONAL, LTD.***

Defendant, VisionQuest National, LTD., by its attorneys, Deasey, Mahoney & Valentini, LTD., hereby removes the above-captioned action, which is presently in the Court of Common Pleas of Chester County, Pennsylvania, No. 2022-05570-TT, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1441 et seq. and in support thereof states as follows:

1. On July 25, 2022, Plaintiff commenced this action by filing a Writ of Summons against VisionQuest National, LTD. in the Court of Common Pleas of Chester County, Pennsylvania (“the Chester County Action”). A copy of that Writ of Summons is attached as Exhibit “1.”

2. On September 20, 2022, Plaintiff filed his Complaint against VisionQuest National, LTD. in the Chester County action. A copy of Plaintiff’s Complaint is attached as Exhibit “2.”

3. This Notice is being filed within thirty days after VisionQuest National, LTD. received Plaintiffs’ Complaint, and within one year of the institution of Plaintiff’s suit, in compliance with 28 U.S.C. §1446(b).

4. In his Complaint, Plaintiff alleges that he is an adult individual and a resident of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and upon information and belief, after reasonable investigation, Plaintiff is a domicile of Pennsylvania. (See Exhibit 2, ¶ 5).

5. VisionQuest National, LTD. is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Arizona and, alleged in Plaintiff's Complaint, its corporate headquarters office is located at 4400 East Broadway Boulevard Suite 501, Tucson, Arizona.

6. Plaintiff further alleges in his Complaint that VisionQuest National, LTD maintains Pennsylvania corporate headquarters located at 150 East Pennsylvania Suite 430 Downingtown, Pennsylvania. (See Exhibit 2, ¶ 6).

7. However, while VisionQuest previously maintained a facility located at 150 East Pennsylvania Suite 430 Downingtown, Pennsylvania, that facility closed in September 2015, and has remained closed ever since that time. At no time since September 2015 did VisionQuest National, LTD. maintain a corporate headquarters in Downingtown, Pennsylvania. See a copy of the affidavit of Carol Keller is attached as Exhibit "3".

8. In this action, Plaintiff seeks damages as a result of alleged harm caused to Plaintiff by the actions of Defendants employees, agents, staff and/or volunteers. (See Exhibit 2, ¶ 8).

9. In Count I of his Complaint in the Chester County action, Plaintiff alleges that he sustained damages as the direct and proximate result of the carelessness, negligence, and/or recklessness of Defendant VisionQuest National, LTD. In this Count, Plaintiff seeks damages "for an amount in excess of the applicable Arbitration Limits of this County, plus costs and interest for all types of damages legally recoverable including but not limited to compensatory, special, exemplary, and punitive damages."

10. In Count II of his Complaint in the Chester County action, Plaintiff alleges that VisionQuest National, LTD. negligently supervised, hired, and retained its employees which caused Plaintiff to suffer injuries. In this Count, Plaintiff seeks damages "for an amount in excess of the applicable Arbitration Limits of this County, plus costs and interest for all types of damages

legally recoverable including but not limited to compensatory, special, exemplary, and punitive damages.”

11. In Count III of his Complaint in the Chester County action, Plaintiff alleges that VisionQuest National, LTD. is liable for the negligent, reckless, careless, and/or intentional conduct of the employees under the theory of vicarious liability, including the doctrine of Respondeat Superior. In this Count, Plaintiff seeks damages “for an amount in excess of the applicable Arbitration Limits of this County, plus costs and interest for all types of damages legally recoverable including but not limited to compensatory, special, exemplary, and punitive damages.”

12. Since the amount in controversy in this case is in excess of \$75,000, and because Plaintiff and VisionQuest National, LTD. are domiciliaries of different States, this Court may exercise jurisdiction over this lawsuit pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1332.

13. This action may be removed to this Court by VisionQuest National, LTD. pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1441(a) in that this case was initially brought in a state court within the geographical area of the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, and in that this Court has jurisdiction pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1332(a).

14. VisionQuest National, LTD. has given written notice of the filing of this Notice of Removal pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1446(d), by filing this Notice of Removal with the Court of Common Pleas of Chester County and by giving written notice to counsel for Plaintiff. A copy of the Praecipe to File Notice of Removal as filed by VisionQuest National, LTD., is attached as Exhibit “4”. A copy of the Notice to Plaintiff, given by VisionQuest National, LTD., is attached as Exhibit “5”.

WHEREFORE, Defendant VisionQuest National, LTD. respectfully requests that the Chester County action be removed to this Court.

DEASEY, MAHONEY & VALENTINI, LTD.

BY: 

GERALD J. VALENTINI, ESQUIRE
CHRYSTALE B. HEWITT, ESQUIRE
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gvalentini@dmvlawfirm.com

Date: 10-5-2022

EXHIBIT “1”

Supreme Court of Pennsylvania
Court of Common Pleas
Civil Cover Sheet
CHESTER County

For Prothonotary Use Only:

Docket No:

2022-05570-TT

Filed and Attested by

PROTHONOTARY

25 Jul 2022 02:26 PM

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The information collected on this form is used solely for court administration purposes. This form does not supplement or replace the filing and service of pleadings or other papers as required by law or rules of court.

Commencement of Action

S <input type="checkbox"/> Complaint	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Writ of Summons	<input type="checkbox"/> Petition
E <input type="checkbox"/> Transfer from Another Jurisdiction	<input type="checkbox"/> Declaration of Taking	
C Lead Plaintiff's Name: <div style="text-align: center;">KERRY HUDSON</div>		Lead Defendant's Name: <div style="text-align: center;">VISIONQUEST NATIONAL, LTD</div>
I Are money damages requested? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		Dollar Amount Requested: <input type="checkbox"/> Within arbitration limits (check one) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> outside arbitration limits
O Is this a Class Action Suit? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		Is this an MDJ Appeal? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
N Name of Plaintiff/Appellant's Attorney: David Wesley Cornish		
A <input type="checkbox"/> Check here if you have no attorney(are a Self-Represented [Pro Se] Litigant)		

Nature of the Case: Place "X" to the left of the ONE case category that most accurately describes your **PRIMARY CASE**.
 If you are making more than one type of claim, check the one that you consider most important.

S E C T I O N B TORT (do not include Mass Tort) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Intentional <input type="checkbox"/> Malicious Prosecution <input type="checkbox"/> Motor Vehicle <input type="checkbox"/> Nuisance <input type="checkbox"/> Premises Liability <input type="checkbox"/> Product Liability (does not include mass tort) <input type="checkbox"/> Slander/Libel/Defamation <input type="checkbox"/> Other:	CONTRACT (do not include Judgments) <input type="checkbox"/> Buyer Plaintiff <input type="checkbox"/> Debt Collection: Credit Card <input type="checkbox"/> Debt Collection: Other <input type="checkbox"/> Employment Dispute: <input type="checkbox"/> Discrimination <input type="checkbox"/> Employment Dispute: Other <input type="checkbox"/> Other	CIVIL APPEALS <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative Agencies <input type="checkbox"/> Board of Assessment <input type="checkbox"/> Board of Elections <input type="checkbox"/> Dept. of Transportation <input type="checkbox"/> Statutory Appeal: Other <input type="checkbox"/> Zoning Board <input type="checkbox"/> Other:
MASS TORT <input type="checkbox"/> Asbestos <input type="checkbox"/> Tobacco <input type="checkbox"/> Toxic Tort - DES <input type="checkbox"/> Toxic Tort - Implant <input type="checkbox"/> Toxic Waste <input type="checkbox"/> Other:	REAL PROPERTY <input type="checkbox"/> Ejectment <input type="checkbox"/> Eminent Domain/Condemnation <input type="checkbox"/> Ground Rent <input type="checkbox"/> Landlord/Tenant Dispute <input type="checkbox"/> Mortgage Foreclosure: Residential <input type="checkbox"/> Mortgage Foreclosure: Commercial <input type="checkbox"/> Partition <input type="checkbox"/> Quiet Title <input type="checkbox"/> Other:	MISCELLANEOUS <input type="checkbox"/> Common Law/Statutory Arbitration <input type="checkbox"/> Declaratory Judgement <input type="checkbox"/> Mandamus <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Domestic Relations <input type="checkbox"/> Restraining Order <input type="checkbox"/> Quo Warranto <input type="checkbox"/> Replevin <input type="checkbox"/> Other:
PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY <input type="checkbox"/> Dental <input type="checkbox"/> Legal <input type="checkbox"/> Medical <input type="checkbox"/> Other Professional		

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**Chester County
Court of Common Pleas
Cover Sheet**

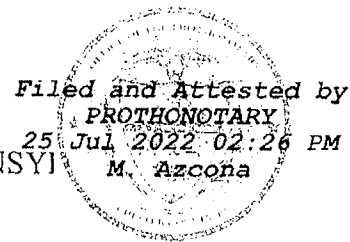
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Cover Sheet	
Plaintiff(s): (Name, Address) <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;"> KERRY HUDSON 5761 STEWART STREET PHILADELPHIA, PA 19131 </div>	Plaintiffs/Appellant's Attorney(circle one) (Name, firm, address, telephone and attorney ID#) <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;"> David Wesley Cornish (215) 990-8686 Cornerstone Legal Group attorney ID#: 310865 230 South Broad Street, 17th Floor, Philadelphia, PA 19102, US </div>
Defendant(s): (Name, Address) <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;"> VISIONQUEST NATIONAL, LTD 4400 EAST BROADWAY BOULEVARD SUITE 501 TUCSON, AZ 85711 </div>	Are there any related cases? Please provide case nos.
Defendants who are proceeding without counsel are strongly urged to file with the Prothonotary a written statement of an address AND a telephone number at which they can be reached	
Commencement of Action (if applicable): <input type="checkbox"/> Agreement for an Amicable Action <input type="checkbox"/> Motion to Confirm Arbitration Award <div style="text-align: center;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Appeal </div>	
If this is an appeal from a Magisterial District Judgement, was appellant <input type="checkbox"/> Plaintiff or <input type="checkbox"/> Defendant in the original action?	
Jury Trial Demanded <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Nature of case if not on previous cover sheet - Please choose the most applicable	
<div style="display: flex; flex-direction: column; gap: 5px;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Annulment <input type="checkbox"/> Custody - Conciliation Required <input type="checkbox"/> Custody - Foreign Order <input type="checkbox"/> Custody - No Conciliation Required <input type="checkbox"/> Divorce - Ancillary Relief Request <input type="checkbox"/> Divorce - No Ancillary Relief Requested <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Divorce <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Protection from Abuse <input type="checkbox"/> Paternity <input type="checkbox"/> Protection from Abuse <input type="checkbox"/> Standby Guardianship </div>	<div style="display: flex; flex-direction: column; gap: 5px;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Writ of Certiorari <input type="checkbox"/> Injunctive Relief <input type="checkbox"/> Mechanics Lien Claim <input type="checkbox"/> Issuance of Foreign Subpoena <input type="checkbox"/> Name Change <input type="checkbox"/> Petition for Structured Settlement </div>
Arbitration Cases Only <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"> <div>Arbitration Date</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px 10px;">mm/dd/yyyy</div> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 5px;"> <div>Arbitration Time</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px 10px;">hh:mm:ss</div> </div> <p style="font-size: 0.9em; margin-top: 10px;"> Defendants are cautioned that the scheduling of an arbitration date does not alter the duty of the defendant to respond to the complaint and does not prevent summary disposition from occurring prior to the arbitration date. This matter will be heard by a Board of Arbitrators at the time and date specified but, if one or more of the parties is not present at the hearing, the matter may be heard at the same time and date before a judge of the court without the absent party or parties. There is no right to a trial <i>de novo</i> on appeal from a decision entered by a judge. </p>	Notice of Trial Listing Date Pursuant to C.C.R.C.P. 249.3, if this case is not subject to compulsory arbitration it will be presumed ready for trial twelve (12) months from the date of the initiation of the suit and will be placed on the trial list one (1) year from the date the suit was filed unless otherwise ordered by the Court. To obtain relief from automatic trial listing a party must proceed pursuant to C.C.R.C.P. 249.3(b), request an administrative conference and obtain a court order deferring the placement of the case on the trial list until a later date.
File with: Chester County Justice Center, Prothonotary Office, 201 W. Market St., Ste. 1425, PO Box 2746, West Chester, PA 19380-0989 <div style="text-align: right; font-size: 0.8em; color: #000080;"> 2022-05570-77 </div>	

These cover sheets must be served upon all other parties to the action immediately after filing.
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Submit enough copies for service.



IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CHESTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

Kerry Hudson,

CIVIL DIVISION

Plaintiff,

No.:

v.

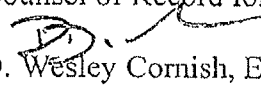
**PRAECIPE FOR WRIT OF
SUMMONS**

VISIONQUEST NATIONAL LTD t/d/b/a
VISIONQUEST IN PENNSYLVANIA,

Defendant.

Filed on Behalf of the Plaintiff

Counsel of Record for This Party:


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2022-05570-TT

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CHESTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

Kerry Hudson,

CIVIL DIVISION

Plaintiff,

No.:

v.

VISIONQUEST NATIONAL LTD t/d/b/a
VISIONQUEST IN PENNSYLVANIA,

Defendant.


PRAECIPE FOR WRIT OF SUMMONS

TO: OFFICE OF THE PROTHONOTARY

Kindly issue the Writ of Summons in the above-captioned matter.

Respectfully submitted,

Cornerstone Legal Group



s/D. Wesley Cornish

D. Wesley Cornish, Esquire
Attorney for Plaintiff


CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

I certify that this filing complies with the provisions of the *Public Access Policy of the Unified Judicial System of Pennsylvania: Case Records of the Appellate and Trial Courts* that require filing confidential information and documents differently than non-confidential information and documents.

Submitted by: Cornerstone Legal Group, LLC

Name: David Wesley Cornish, Esquire

Attorney No.: 310865

Signature: 

Dated: July 25, 2022


VERIFICATION

The facts set forth in the foregoing Motion are true and correct to the best of the undersigned's knowledge, information and belief and are verified subject to the penalties for unsworn falsification to authorities and perjury pursuant to state and United States law.

Submitted by: Cornerstone Legal Group, LLC

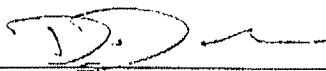
Name: David Wesley Cornish, Esquire

Attorney No.: 310865

Signature: 

Dated: July 25, 2022

Respectfully Submitted,


D. Wesley Cornish, Esquire
Cornerstone Legal Group, LLC
230 South Broad Street, 17th Floor
Philadelphia, PA 19102
Phone: 888-313-1385
Supreme Court # 310865
Dated: July 25, 2022



IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, CHESTER COUNTY
Fifteenth Judicial District of Pennsylvania
West Chester, Pennsylvania

KERRY HUDSON

Plaintiff(s)

v.

VISIONQUEST NATIONAL, LTD

Defendant(s)

CASE NUMBER 2022-05570-TT

CIVIL ACTION - LAW

WRIT OF SUMMONS

TO: VISIONQUEST NATIONAL, LTD

YOU ARE NOTIFIED THAT THE ABOVE-NAMED PLAINTIFF(S) HAS/HAVE COMMENCED AN ACTION AGAINST YOU.

Date: 07/25/2022

Debbie Bookman

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VisionQuest National LTD, (Defendant) : No. 2022-05570-TT

COMPLAINT

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YOU HAVE BEEN SUED IN COURT. If you wish to defend against the claims set forth in the following pages, you must take action within TWENTY (20) days after this complaint and notice are served, by entering a written appearance personally or by attorney and filing in writing with the court your defenses or objections to the claims set forth against you. You are warned that if you fail to do so the case may proceed without you and a judgment may be entered against you by the court without further notice for any money claimed in the complaint or for any other claim or relief requested by the plaintiff. You may lose money or property or other rights important to you. YOU SHOULD TAKE THIS PAPER TO YOUR LAWYER AT ONCE. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A LAWYER OR CANNOT AFFORD ONE, GO TO OR TELEPHONE THE OFFICE SET FORTH BELOW TO FIND WHERE YOU CAN GET LEGAL HELP

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COMPLAINT

AND NOW come the Plaintiff, Kerry Hudson, via his attorney, David Wesley Cornish, Esquire and Cornerstone Legal Group, files the within Complaint and in support thereof avers the following:

I. Introduction

1. Treatment and rehabilitation centers have an inherent responsibility to maintain honesty, integrity, and inclusiveness within their walls. These treatment facilities perform an important job of taking at-risk youth and guiding them towards a productive future, cultivating senses of hope, friendliness, and enthusiasm that the clients will take with them once they leave the facility.
2. This inherent responsibility is shattered once such a facility fails to maintain such an environment. More emphatically, an even greater evil is committed when the treatment and rehabilitation center play an active and direct role by promoting and allowing reprehensible methods of rehabilitation. These methods, when condoned either by action or inaction by these centers, irreparably harms those at-risk individuals who willingly, or unwillingly, enter into these facilities seeking help.
3. The young, at-risk clients placed under the care of VisionQuest National, LTD (“VisionQuest”), which was a facility operated and staffed by all the named Defendants, who sought treatment and behavioral health services suffered an immeasurable amount of trauma and mistreatment due to the inexcusable culture VisionQuest cultivated, embodied by its employees, staff, agents, contractors, and volunteers.

4. The Plaintiff Hudson brings claims against the above-named Defendant for Respondeat Superior, negligence, negligent hiring, supervision, and retention.

II. Parties

5. Plaintiff, **Kerry Hudson** is an adult individual and resident of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.
6. Defendant, **VisionQuest National LTD** with a corporate headquarters office at 4400 East Broadway Boulevard Suite 501 Tucson, AZ 85711 and in Pennsylvania at corporate headquarters 150 East Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 430 Downingtown, PA 19335.
7. The young, at-risk clients placed under the care of VisionQuest National, LTD, (“VisionQuest”) including Plaintiff who sought treatment and behavioral health services suffered an immeasurable amount of trauma and mistreatment due to the inexcusable culture VisionQuest cultivated, embodied by its supervisors, employees, and staff.
8. The above-named Plaintiff brings claims against the above-named Defendant for Respondeat Superior, negligence, and negligent hiring, supervision, and retention.

III. Facts

9. VisionQuest receives “clients” as part of a referral program wherein delinquent youths are legally sent to a specific VisionQuest facility as part of a rehabilitation or treatment process. VisionQuest conducts a *Prospective Client Interview* which includes the reason for the referral and determines, based on other factors, whether the client is fit for the recommended program. VisionQuest is a treatment center that serves almost exclusively legally referred clients. VisionQuest had numerous facilities across the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania with a corporate headquarters in Chester County.

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10. Plaintiff was court-ordered to reside at VisionQuest.
11. At all times relevant hereto, Plaintiff was a victim of sexual abuse during his time at Defendant VisionQuest's facility by its staff members.
12. Plaintiff was housed for classification and assignment purposes to a specific program for a portion of his commitment to VisionQuest at their Chester County facility, near Embreeville, Pennsylvania.
13. Plaintiff avers Defendant knew or should have known that its employee(s) had committed acts of abuse upon one or more of the other residents of its facility(ies) prior to the time that plaintiff herein was subjected to the acts of sexual abuse that are the subject of this filing.
14. Plaintiff describes the following incidents involving sexual assault while he was housed at the Defendant's facility:
 - i. Plaintiff was court ordered to live at VisionQuest when he was approximately 17 years old during approximately 2009-2010.
 - ii. While residing at Defendant's facility, staff member, Ms. Stacy, sexually assaulted the Plaintiff.
 - iii. Ms. Stacy was assigned to supervise Plaintiff while he was residing at Defendant's facility, including while Plaintiff was within his living unit(s).
 - iv. Ms. Stacy was Plaintiff's Counselor.
 - v. Ms. Stacy on numerous occasions called Plaintiff into her staff office and would kiss him on the lips while also fondling his genitals both outside of and underneath the Plaintiff's clothing.

- vi. Ms. Stacy touched Plaintiff's penis and testicles in an identical manner to that previously described on multiple occasions within her office.
 - vii. Plaintiff was injured as a result of Ms. Stacy's conduct.
15. Specifically, regarding staff member(s) **Ms. Stacy** it is averred the physical contact made with Plaintiff's genitals was indecent contact for the purpose of arousing the aforementioned individual.
16. The supervisors, employees, administrators, and/or staff members implicated who directly caused the harm to Plaintiff and/or threatened Plaintiff were acting within the scope of their duties as counselors and caretakers to Plaintiff.
17. It is averred Defendant's staff, supervisors, administrators, and employees actively discouraged and prevented disclosure to third-parties about any claims of child abuse against any staff member at any facility operated by the Defendant.

Count 1 – Negligence (Hudson v. VisionQuest)

18. Plaintiff hereby incorporate all preceding paragraphs by reference as if set forth fully herein.
19. The Defendant and its staff members had a duty to report child abuse when a reasonable belief exists it occurred, and the Defendant breached this duty and failed to notify the proper authorities about the Plaintiff's abuse as required by 55 Pa.C.S.A. §3680 *et seq*; 55 Pa.C.S.A. §3800 *et seq*; and all other applicable child abuse reporting requirement laws related to mandatory abuse reporters and applicable to Defendant's facility.
20. The damages sustained by Plaintiff Hudson were directly, and proximately caused by the carelessness, negligence, and/or recklessness of the Defendant at the VisionQuest facility in the following particulars:

- a. In failing to maintain a reasonably safe environment for the patients and juveniles of the facility;
- b. In failing to recognize, stop, and deter the employees and staff created an environment where employees and staff were allowed to perform the activities alleged in this pleading;
- c. In allowing staff and employees who Defendant knew or reasonably should have known to be inappropriate to have access to juvenile students and clients who are at-risk and who are in a position of inferiority;
- d. In failing to provide any oversight to the employees or staff given the written reports, complaints, and witnessing of these acts of sexual abuse conducted by supervisors and administrators;
- e. In failing to take proper remedial measures to actively combat allegations of sexual abuse by its employees, staff, or residents despite numerous allegations of such abuse;
- f. In failing to meet the required standards of care of a mental health and juvenile treatment and/or rehabilitation facility pursuant to 55 Pa.C.S.A. §3680 *et seq*; 55 Pa.C.S.A. §3800 *et seq*; and all other related child abuse mandatory reporting requirement laws applicable to child residential facilities, while Plaintiff was in its care;
- g. In dismissing legitimate claims of abuse by Plaintiff and other students similarly situated who had been abused in Plaintiff's presence;

21. As the sole, direct, legal, and proximate result of the negligence of Defendant at the VisionQuest facility, as aforesaid, Plaintiff has suffered the following injuries:

- a. Plaintiff's social ability has been injured to the extent that Plaintiff cannot, or has difficulty with maintaining trust of others, forming friendships and relationships, and continues to isolate himself;
- b. Plaintiff was deprived of educational opportunities, by the Defendant and;

22. As the sole, direct, legal, and proximate result of the negligence of Defendant at the VisionQuest facility, as aforesaid, Plaintiff has suffered the following damages:

- a. Immense on-going embarrassment and humiliation;
- b. Loss of self-esteem and shame;
- c. Emotional distress;
- d. Nightmares, loss of sleep, anxiety and other physical manifestations of the injuries caused by the events described above.
- e. Aggravation and/or exacerbation of pre-existing mental anguish and trauma;
- f. Severe mental anguish and trauma;
- g. Anxiety, depression, nausea and loss of sleep;
- h. A loss of enjoyment of life;
- i. A loss of the ability to form relationships and inability to trust others;
- j. A loss of earnings and earning capacity during those periods Plaintiff was unable to work due to trauma;
- k. Loss of educational opportunities and;

23. This incident was caused solely by the carelessness, negligence, and/or recklessness of Defendant and Plaintiff's injuries were in no manner or part whatsoever due to any act or failure on part of Plaintiff.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff Hudson demands judgement against Defendant, VisionQuest National LTD, for an amount in excess of the applicable Arbitration Limits, plus costs and interest for all types of damages legally recoverable including but not limited to compensatory, special, exemplary, and punitive damages.

Count 2 – Negligent Supervision, Hiring, and Retention (Hudson v. VisionQuest)

24. Plaintiff hereby incorporate all preceding paragraphs by reference as if set forth fully herein.

25. The Defendant and its staff members, supervisors, and administrators had a duty to report child abuse when a reasonable belief exists it occurred, and the Defendant breached this duty and failed to notify the proper authorities about the Plaintiff's abuse as required by 55 Pa.C.S.A. §3680 *et seq*; 55 Pa.C.S.A. §3800 *et seq*; and all other applicable child abuse reporting requirement laws related to mandatory abuse reporters and applicable to Defendant's facility.

26. The conduct of the staff during its interactions with the Plaintiff and the actions of the staff against other juvenile students within Plaintiff's view was so outrageous it shocks the conscious.

27. The staff members' conduct, especially **MS. STACY**, in assaulting Plaintiff Hudson, is so outrageous it shocks the conscious.

28. The Defendant gave improper and/or ambiguous orders and failed to make proper regulations related to investigating, preventing, and reporting child in particular regarding the Plaintiff.

29. The Defendants failed to oversee the activities of numerous staff members, including supervisors, employed by the Defendant.

30. The Defendant permitted and failed to prevent negligent or other tortious conduct by persons, including its staff, upon its premises and with instrumentalities under his control.
31. At all times relevant hereto, all treatment and counseling provided to Plaintiff and supervision of Plaintiff was under the direction and supervision of Defendant VisionQuest National LTD, acting through its agents, employees, servants, workman, and/or independent contractors, including, but not limited to, counselors.
32. Defendant had a duty to enact and maintain policies, procedures, practices, and/or guidelines (“policies”, collectively) to ensure that juveniles, such as Plaintiff, received the appropriate and necessary treatment from his assigned counselor.
33. At all times relevant hereto, Defendant had a duty to adequately screen, train, supervise, and discipline employees and prospective employees who would be assigned duties wherein they would treat or supervise juveniles, like Plaintiff.
34. The incidents mentioned in the previous paragraphs were due solely or partially to the negligence, carelessness, recklessness, and/or other liability-producing conduct of Defendant in the following particulars:
- a. In failing to adequately promulgate policies for the screening of prospective and/or hired employees for their fitness to perform treatment to Plaintiff for Defendant and their capacity to use reasonable care to safeguard the health, safety, and welfare of the individuals to whom they were assigned to treat;
 - b. In failing to adequately screen prospective and/or hired employees for their fitness to perform treatment to Plaintiff for Defendant and their capacity to use reasonable care to safeguard the health, safety, and welfare of the individuals to whom they were assigned to treat;

- c. In failing to adequately promulgate policies for the training of employees hired to treat patients to use reasonable care to safeguard the health, safety, and welfare of the patients to whom they were assigned to provide care for;
- d. In failing to adequately supervise employees hired to treat patients as to their use of reasonable care in safeguarding the health, safety, and welfare of the individuals to whom they were assigned to treat;
- e. In failing to adequately discipline employees hired to treat patients as to their use of reasonable care in safeguarding the health, safety, and welfare of the individuals to whom they were assigned to provide care for;
- f. In failing to adequately promulgate and enforce policies so as to prevent the sexual abuse of its patients caused by its own employees, agents, and staff hired to treat clients; and
- g. In failing to have and/or enforce policies, procedures, protocols, or guidelines necessary for the safety of patients such as Plaintiff.

35. As the sole, direct, legal, and proximate result of the negligence of Defendant, as aforesaid, Plaintiff has suffered the injuries aforementioned in the preceding paragraphs.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff Hudson demands judgement against Defendant, VisionQuest National LTD, for an amount in excess of the applicable Arbitration Limits, plus costs and interest for all types of damages legally recoverable including but not limited to compensatory, special, exemplary, and punitive damages.

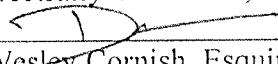
Count 3- Respondeat Superior (Hudson v. VisionQuest)

36. Plaintiff hereby incorporate all preceding paragraphs by reference as if set forth fully herein.

37. The Defendant and its staff members had a duty to report child abuse when a reasonable belief exists it occurred, and the Defendant breached this duty and failed to notify the proper authorities about the Plaintiff's abuse as required by 55 Pa.C.S.A. §3680 *et seq*; 55 Pa.C.S.A. §3800 *et seq*; and all other applicable child abuse reporting requirement laws related to mandatory abuse reporters and applicable to Defendant's facility.
38. At all times relevant hereto, employees and staff members implicated in the prior paragraphs were acting under the exclusive control, direction, and supervision of Defendant when the negligent acts alleged took place.
39. Employees, supervisors, and staff members engaged in the activity described in prior paragraphs while acting in the course and scope of their employment with Defendant by working with the juveniles at the facility.
40. While serving as servants and agents of Defendant, the supervisors, employees, and staff members implicated by the allegations in the prior paragraphs caused the Plaintiff to suffer the child abuse alleged herein by virtue of their job-created authority.
41. As a result of the foregoing, Defendant is liable for the negligent, reckless, careless, and/or intentional conduct of the employees under the theory of vicarious liability, including the doctrine of Respondeat Superior.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff Hudson demands judgement against Defendant, VisionQuest National LTD, for an amount in excess of the applicable Arbitration Limits, plus costs and interest for all types of damages legally recoverable including but not limited to compensatory, special, exemplary, and punitive damages.

Respectfully Submitted,



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Supreme Court # 310865
Date: September 20, 2022

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

I certify that this filing complies with the provisions of the *Public Access Policy of the Unified Judicial System of Pennsylvania: Case Records of the Appellate and Trial Courts* that require filing confidential information and documents differently than non-confidential information and documents.

Submitted by: Cornerstone Legal Group, LLC

Name: David Wesley Cornish, Esquire

Attorney No.: 310865

Signature: _____

Date: September 20, 2022

VERIFICATION

The facts set forth in the foregoing Motion are true and correct to the best of the undersigned's knowledge, information and belief and are verified subject to the penalties for unsworn falsification to authorities and perjury pursuant to state and United States law.

Submitted by: Cornerstone Legal Group, LLC

Name: David Wesley Cornish, Esquire

Attorney No.: 310865

Signature: _____

Date: September 20, 2022

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that this _____ day of _____, 20____ a true and correct copy of the foregoing *Complaint* has been served via electronic/mail upon the following:


Gerald Valentini, Esq.
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VERIFICATION

The undersigned, having read the attached pleading verifies that the within pleading is based on information furnished to counsel, which information has been gathered by counsel in the course of this lawsuit. Signer verifies that he has read the within pleading and that it is true and correct to the best of the signer's knowledge, information and belief. This verification is made subject to the penalties of 18 Pa. C.S.A. § 4904 relating to unsworn falsification to authorities and under the penalty of perjury pursuant to the laws of the United States.


Signature

Kersey Hodson
Printed Name

9/11/22

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AFFIDAVIT

I, Carol Keller, being duly sworn, according to oath, hereby deposes and states:

1. I am the Interim Chief Executive Officer VisionQuest National, LTD., and have held this position since June 1, 2021.
2. I am also the Chief Operating Officer of VisionQuest National, LTD., and have held this position since May 1, 2020.
3. I am familiar with the company's dealings, transactions, facilities and corporate locations.
4. VisionQuest National, LTD.'s corporate headquarters and principal place of business is located at 4400 East Broad Boulevard, Suite 501, Tucson, Arizona 85711-3554.
5. VisionQuest National, LTD. does not maintain corporate headquarters or a principal place of business in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

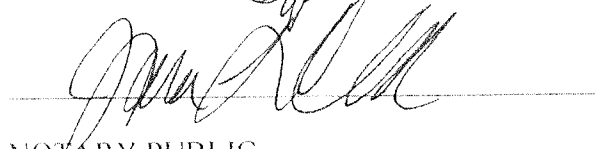
6. VisionQuest National, LTD. previously operated a facility located at 150 East Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 430, Downingtown, Pennsylvania, 19335. However, that facility closed in September 2015 and has not operated since that time.
7. The facility located at 150 East Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 430, Downingtown, Pennsylvania, 19335, did not serve as corporate headquarters or a principal place of business for VisionQuest National, LTD. at any time.

BY:



CAROL KELLER
INTERIM CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER
AND CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER,
VISIONQUEST NATIONAL, LTD.

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 23rd day of September, 2022



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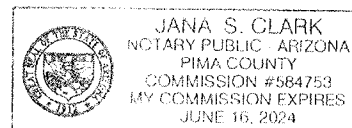


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PRAECIPE TO FILE NOTICE OF REMOVAL

TO THE PROTHONOTARY:

Kindly file the attached copy of the Notice of Removal, the original of which was filed with the Clerk of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania on October 5, 2022. This Notice of Removal was filed pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1446 (d).

DEASEY, MAHONEY & VALENTINI, LTD.

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Date: 10-5-2022

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NOTICE TO PLAINTIFF


TO: David Wesley Cornish, Esquire
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Please take notice that Defendant, VisionQuest National, LTD., has filed a Notice of Removal in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, removing this civil action now pending in the Court of Common Pleas of Chester County pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1441, et seq. Also, please take notice that Defendant has filed in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania a copy of the Complaint served upon it which was filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Chester County.

Copies of this Notice of Removal and Complaint are attached to this Notice and along with this Notice are being served upon you.

DEASEY, MAHONEY & VALENTINI, LTD.

BY


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on October 5, 2022 a copy of the foregoing Praecipe to File Notice of Removal was sent via e-filing.

DEASEY, MAHONEY & VALENTINI, LTD.

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